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MEMORANDUM

TO: Representative Martha Heath, Chair

Joint Fiscal Committee

FROM: Michael K. Smith, Secretary

DATE: December 13, 2005

SUBJECT: Waiver Year 1 Global Commitment to Health Premium Model

The monthly premium amount paid to the Office of Vermont Health Access during State Fiscal Year 2006 will be established at \$65,371,811. This Premium is within the actuarially certified rate range of \$60,115,350 - \$66,747,894 for the nine months of Waiver Year 1 that fall in SFY 2006.

This Premium rate is subject to modification, within the certified rate range, based on the Legislative Budget Adjustment Process.